

# The Lakes Foster Care FACTS

Based on all children in OOHC on January 02, 2011 Source TWS-W058

Statewide Total

Demographic Indicator	Number	Percent within Region	Number	Percent within State
Total Number of Children in OOHC with Active Placements (note E, F)	648		6,827	
Placed in PCC Foster Homes	156	24.1	2,321	34.0
Placed in PCC Residential	102	15.7	1,037	15.2
Placed in Relative Placement	59	9.1	308	4.5
Total Number placed in DCBS Foster Homes all types (note A)	307	47.4	2,891	42.3
Placed in DCBS Basic and Advanced Foster Homes	252	38.9	2,468	36.2
Placed in DCBS Care Plus or Medically Fragile Homes	36	5.6	259	3.8
Placed in DCBS Adoptive Home	19	2.9	164	2.4
Placed in Detention Center	3	0.5	20	0.3
Placed in Independent Living or Education Setting	4	0.6	95	1.4
Placed in Psychiatric Hospitals	16	2.5	151	2.2
Placed out of state (note B)	15	2.3	94	1.4
<b>Age at First Entry into Foster Care</b>				
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: Less than 1 year	89	13.7	1,140	16.7
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 1 to < 3 years	99	15.3	915	13.4
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 3 to < 6 years	118	18.2	1,102	16.1
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 6 to < 12 years	154	23.8	1,657	24.3
Age at First Entry into Foster Care: 12 to < 18 years	188	29.0	2,011	29.5
<b>Demographics</b>				
African American Children	116	17.9	1,166	17.1
Children with a Goal of Adoption	159	24.5	1,739	25.5
Children with a Goal of Reunification (note C)	336	51.9	3,402	49.8
Children with a Goal of Emancipation	43	6.6	567	8.3
Average Age of Entry into foster care	7.6		7.6	
Average Age Now	10.3		10.6	
Average # Months in Care at this Point in Time	25.5		25.3	
Average Percent of Life in Care	27.9		28.6	
Average Number of Days to Re-Enter for those with any Re-Entry	557.6		674.1	
Average Number of Placements this Removal Episode	3.3		3.2	
<b>Cost Data</b>				
Number of Children with Per Diem payments listed	541		6,038	
<b>Average Cost Per Day for Child with Per Diem Payments</b>	\$69.21		\$71.81	
<b>Average Cost per Child for Average Months in Care (note D)</b>	\$53,629.81		\$55,406.17	

A. Includes DCBS adoptive homes, basic and advanced, medically fragile homes.

B. Includes relative placements, adoptive homes, treatment facilities, and homes just over the border.

C. Other goals include placement with relatives, planned permanent living or the goals have not been determined.

D. Total costs per child will be higher because children in this number have not exited care.

E. Includes 24 Statewide duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.

F. Includes 3 Regional duplicate placements as 'bed held' during hospital, detention or other short term stays.